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COUNTRY East Germany REPORT

TOPIC Soviet Troop Trains 616908

EVALUATION PLACE OBTAINED

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REFERENCES

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REMARKS

This is UNEVALUATED Information

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CB - Converted Boxcar; B - Boxcar; F - Flatcar

1. Troop trains from Schwepnitz on 18 and 19 January 1954 included: a train of 6 boxcars and 18 flatcars to Rueckmarsdorf on 18 January; 25X1 and another train of 6 boxcars and 29 flatcars to Wurzen on 19 January. 1

2. troop trains on 8 February: 25X1

Composition of Troop Trains	From	To
15 CB, 6 B, 35 F	Fuerstenwalde	Neubukow
11 CB, 11 B, 30 F	"	"
6 CB, 6 B, 30 F	Frankfurt/Oder	Altengrabow
5 CB, 2 B, 26 F	"	"
9 CB, 7 B, 25 F	Velten	probably Neubukow

3. On 9 February, a troop train of 26 boxcars and 32 flatcars, went from Templin to Jueterbog-Altes Lager. 5

troop trains UNCODED on 9 and 10 February:

Date in February	Composition of Troop Trains	From	To
9	26 B, 32 F	Templin	Jueterbog-Altes Lager
10	12 B, 36 F	Potsdam	Altengrabow
	13 B, 36 F	Wildpark	"
	13 B, 27 F	"	"

5. On 10 February, a troop train of 9 converted boxcars, 8 boxcars, and 31 flatcars went from Wuensdorf to Neubukow. 7

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1. Comment. These troop trains confirm the short-term winter firing practice by components of the 3th Gds Mecz Div at Koenigsbrueck. 25X1

2. Comment. The troop trains probably carried heavy AAA units of the 63rd AAA

3. Comment. The troop trains carried light AAA units of the 32nd AAA Div 25X1

4. Comment. Probably another troop train of the 31st AAA Div following 25X1
the troop train which was dispatched on 1 February 25X1
1954.

5. Comment. Probably a troop train hauling contingents of the 25th Tank Div to Jueterbog for firing practice.

6. Comment. The troop trains were confirmed as carrying units of the 148th Gun Arty Brig of the 34th Arty Div. 25X1

7. Comment. Probably a troop train of the 2nd Gds AAA Div.

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